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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 2811
PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Yoshiaki SUGIZAKI) Group Art Unit: 2811
Application No.: 09/972,855) Examiner: Im, Junghwa M.
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE)

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed September 22, 2005, to period for response to which extends through December 22, 2005, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.